

It is my understanding that Sinclair Broadcasting is planning to preempt regular broadcasting to air an anti-Kerry documentary called "Stolen Honor...". Forcing their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. One-sided programs clearly intended to influence the electorate are not in the public interest and seem more reminiscent of a dictatorship than a democracy!

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them.

Sincerely,
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